

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**v.**

**RONALD W. SMITH, III**

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**Case No. 1:07-CR-00270-WC**

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE STATUS REPORT**

Comes now the United States of America by and through its Attorney for the Middle District of Alabama and moves the Court for leave to provide a status report as follows:

1. Information was filed on October 29, 2007.
2. Mr. Smith was arraigned on January 8, 2008.
3. Mr. Smith submitted a request for pre-trial diversion on January 18, 2008.
4. A pre-trial diversion agreement was signed on March 18, 2008.
5. A motion to dismiss was filed on March 27, 2008.

Respectfully submitted this the 28th day of March, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on March 28, 2008, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following: Donnie W. Bethel, Attorney for Ronald W. Smith III, and I hereby certify that I have mailed by United States Postal Service the foregoing to the following non-CM/ECF participants: Ronald W. Smith III.

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